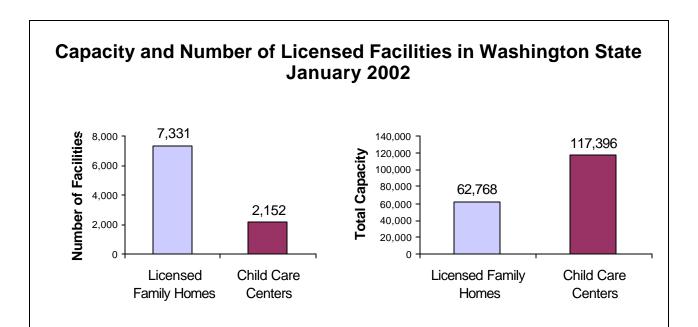


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Note: In Washington State's most recent survey of licensed providers the overall vacancy rate was 13.6 vacancies per 100 licensed slots. The vacancy rate for licensed families was 15.5 and the vacancy rate for child care centers was 12.6.

Where Subsidized Children Receive Care

In Federal Fiscal Year 2001 (October 2000-September 2001) children with child care subsidized by Washington State's Department of Social and Health Services received care in the following settings:

- child care centers 41%
- licensed family homes 27%
- in their own home 21%
- in a relative's home 11%